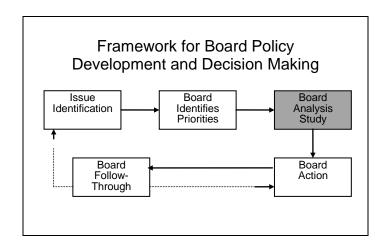
Iowa State Board of Education

Executive Summary

March 31, 2011



Agenda Item: Review the Process for Approving Practitioner and Administrator

Preparation Programs

lowa Goal: All K-12 students will achieve at a high level.

Equity Impact

Statement: Practitioner preparation programs support the improvement of

instructional practices and strengthen the quality of educator preparation and professional development programs to give

educators at all levels the skills they need to improve teaching and

learning.

Presenters: Kris Crabtree-Groff, Consultant

Practitioner Preparation

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Attachments: None

Recommendation: It is recommended that the State Board hear and discuss this

information.

Background: Iowa Code 281—79.5(256) grants authority to the State

Board of Education to set standards and approve practitioner preparation programs based on those standards. At the last State Board meeting, Board

members requested an opportunity to review and discuss the current process for approving practitioner preparation

programs.